

COST OF LIVING — HOUSEHOLD REBATES

**1012. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Energy:**

For the year 2011–2012, how many households claimed:

- (a) the energy supply rebate; and
- (b) the dependent child rebate?

**Dr M.D. Nahan replied:**

**Synergy**

- (a) 246,162
- (b) 62,506

Note: This data was current as at 30 October 2012, and reflects the number of Cost of Living Assistance (CoLA) payment recipients at that point in time. The CoLA payment was introduced as at 1 October 2012, and previous recipients of the supply charge rebate were automatically eligible to receive the CoLA payment.

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- (a) 26,781
- (b) 8,063